

## **IC 31-31-9**

### **Chapter 9. Juvenile Detention Facilities in Marion County**

## **IC 31-31-9-1**

### **Application of chapter**

Sec. 1. This chapter applies to a county having a consolidated city.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

## **IC 31-31-9-2**

### **Operation and maintenance**

Sec. 2. The juvenile court shall operate and maintain all juvenile detention centers located within the county.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

## **IC 31-31-9-3**

### **Rules; annual inspections and reports**

Sec. 3. (a) The juvenile detention center shall be operated in accordance with rules adopted by the department of correction.

(b) The division of family and children shall make an annual inspection of the center and report to the advisory board whether the center meets the requirements established by the state department of health for temporary detention centers. Any noncompliance with those requirements must be stated in writing to the advisory board.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

## **IC 31-31-9-4**

### **Admission to juvenile detention center**

Sec. 4. The juvenile court judge, after soliciting the views of the advisory board described in section 8 of this chapter, shall establish criteria for admission to the juvenile detention center. The power to order admission to the center remains with the court.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

## **IC 31-31-9-5**

### **Superintendent; appointment; term of office**

Sec. 5. The juvenile court judge shall appoint a superintendent of juvenile detention centers located in the county. The superintendent serves at the pleasure of the judge.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

## **IC 31-31-9-6**

### **Superintendent; duties**

Sec. 6. Under the direction of the juvenile court judge, the superintendent shall do the following:

- (1) Supervise the operations of the juvenile detention centers so as to provide sound physical care in compliance with state, county, and other health requirements.
- (2) Coordinate a program of constructive activities.
- (3) Administer sound, fair, and impartial employment practices.

- (4) Supervise employees of the juvenile detention center.
- (5) Promote good public relations within the community.
- (6) Make necessary written reports to the juvenile court judge regarding transfers, escapes, or destruction of center property.
- (7) Make an annual inspection of the juvenile detention center and report in writing to the juvenile court judge any noncompliance with standards established by the commission on accreditation for corrections.
- (8) Perform all other duties assigned by the juvenile court judge.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 31-31-9-7**

##### **Advisory board; duties; rules**

Sec. 7. (a) The juvenile detention center advisory board shall:

- (1) review the operations of juvenile detention centers located within the county; and
- (2) advise the juvenile court judge on matters relating to the detention of juveniles in the county.

(b) The advisory board may adopt rules and bylaws for the management and regulation of the advisory board's affairs, and may do all things necessary and convenient to carry out this chapter.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 31-31-9-8**

##### **Advisory board; members; appointment; qualifications**

Sec. 8. (a) The advisory board consists of the following seven (7) members:

- (1) Two (2) members, appointed by the juvenile court judge, who are not members of the same political party.
- (2) Two (2) members, appointed by the mayor of the consolidated city, who are not members of the same political party.
- (3) Three (3) members, appointed by the council, not more than two (2) of whom may be members of the same political party.

(b) Members of the advisory board must be residents of the county who have demonstrated an interest in and knowledge of the juvenile justice system.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 31-31-9-9**

##### **Advisory board; terms of office; vacancies; reappointment; removal**

Sec. 9. (a) Terms of office for members of the advisory board are three (3) years. Terms of office begin on January 1 of the first year and end on December 31 of the third year.

(b) Vacancies in the membership of the advisory board shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments. Appointments made to fill vacancies that occur before expiration of a term are for the remainder of the unexpired term.

(c) Members of the advisory board may be reappointed for one (1) additional term.

(d) All members of the advisory board serve until their successors have been appointed.

(e) An advisory board member may be removed for good cause by the appointing authority. Good cause includes disability, inefficiency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 31-31-9-10**

##### **Annual budget**

Sec. 10. The juvenile court judge shall annually prepare the detention center budget and forward the budget to the county fiscal officer in accordance with IC 36-3-6-4.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*

#### **IC 31-31-9-11**

##### **Expenses**

Sec. 11. All expenses for the operation of the juvenile detention center shall be paid out of the county general fund.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.14.*